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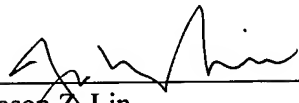
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1. **Eight (8)** sheets of specification, claims, and abstract.
2. **Six (6)** sheets of drawings containing FIGs. 1 through 6.
3. An executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for Utility Patent Application.
4. An Information Disclosure Statement including Form PTO-1449.
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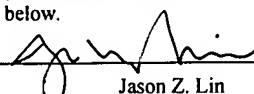
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